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Sir:

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1. A complete paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included in the Specification and is identical to the computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed in U.S. Patent Application No. 09/580,515 (the "515 application"), filed May 25, 1999.
2. A computer-readable form in this application is identical with that filed in the "515 application", filed May 25, 1999. Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.821(e), please use the last-filed computer readable form filed in the "515 application" as the computer readable form for this application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for this application.

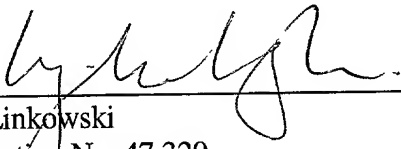
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I hereby state, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821 (g), that the enclosed submission includes no new matter. Applicants submit that the foregoing satisfies the requirements of Rule §1.821. If there are any questions regarding this response, the Office is invited to contact the attorney of record, Lisa A. Haile, Ph.D., at the address or telephone number listed below.

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. If there are any other charges, or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account 50-1355.

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